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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.115

Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action dated April 22, 2005 received in connection with the above captioned matter. In that a response to the Office Action is due on July 22, 2005, this response is timely and no further extension of time is needed. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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